

Table 5. Hired Farm Labor—Workers and Payroll: 1997

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All farms	Montana	Beaverhead	Big Horn	Blaine	Broadwater	Carbon	Carter
Hired farm labor	8 186	180	176	175	80	211	106
farms..	25 958	1 251	710	467	352	682	259
workers..	109 424	6 430	3 642	1 982	1 597	2 353	784
\$1,000 payroll..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	2 744	39	38	60	23	58	28
farms..	2 744	39	38	60	23	58	28
workers..							
2 workers	2 421	33	36	72	13	83	43
farms..	4 842	66	72	144	26	166	86
workers..	1 746	45	61	26	18	28	26
3 or 4 workers	6 045	162	198	98	61	102	85
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	902	25	26	11	15	33	9
farms..	5 602	157	161	70	113	216	60
workers..	373	38	15	6	11	9	—
10 workers or more	6 725	827	241	95	129	140	—
farms..							
workers..							
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	4 192	120	110	79	52	97	55
farms..	8 229	467	233	147	100	211	87
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	2 542	52	42	56	24	43	34
farms..	2 542	52	42	56	(D)	43	34
workers..							
2 workers	830	17	37	10	16	33	17
farms..	1 660	34	74	(D)	32	66	34
workers..	563	29	26	8	10	15	2
3 or 4 workers	1 863	102	82	28	33	55	(D)
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	203	12	4	4	2	5	2
farms..	1 217	77	(D)	24	(D)	(D)	(D)
workers..							
10 workers or more	54	10	1	1	—	1	—
farms..	947	202	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Less than 150 days	6 959	159	128	156	61	189	87
farms..	17 729	784	477	320	252	471	172
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	3 533	60	39	87	20	76	47
farms..	3 533	60	39	87	20	76	47
workers..							
2 workers	1 408	22	30	37	14	73	13
farms..	2 816	44	60	74	28	146	26
workers..	1 258	33	36	21	5	22	23
3 or 4 workers	4 164	115	116	71	17	80	71
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	517	22	10	9	13	15	4
farms..	3 045	132	61	(D)	85	107	28
workers..							
10 workers or more	243	22	13	2	9	3	—
farms..	4 171	433	201	(D)	102	62	—
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	1 227	21	48	19	19	22	19
farms..	2 309	71	98	34	35	34	38
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	25 118	1 027	1 107	485	396	512	318
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	3 994	60	66	96	28	114	51
farms..	8 748	191	248	168	109	284	108
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	14 217	473	530	275	132	309	87
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	2 965	99	62	60	33	75	36
farms..	5 920	396	135	113	65	177	49
150 days or more..	8 981	593	229	152	143	187	64
less than 150 days..							
\$1,000 payroll..	70 089	4 931	2 004	1 221	1 069	1 532	379

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All farms	Cascade	Chouteau	Custer	Daniels	Dawson	Deer Lodge	Fallon
Hired farm labor							
farms..	269	373	174	86	151	39	90
workers..	933	951	468	174	445	159	216
\$1,000 payroll..	4 133	4 500	1 818	823	1 699	553	885
Farms with—							
1 worker	102	154	55	39	43	9	38
farms..	102	154	55	39	43	9	(D)
workers..							
2 workers	62	91	60	26	50	10	32
farms..	124	182	120	52	100	20	64
workers..	54	73	43	17	34	11	6
3 or 4 workers	184	250	138	61	119	37	23
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	24	51	10	4	17	6	13
farms..	136	312	68	22	113	43	73
workers..	27	4	6	—	7	3	1
10 workers or more	387	53	87	—	70	50	(D)
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	157	172	76	57	100	23	56
farms..	336	328	118	109	161	48	92
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	87	88	58	24	62	12	39
farms..	87	88	58	24	62	12	39
workers..							
2 workers	32	47	9	21	15	3	11
farms..	64	94	18	42	30	(D)	(D)
workers..	26	25	3	9	23	7	2
3 or 4 workers	81	83	11	27	69	23	(D)
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	8	12	6	3	—	1	4
farms..	50	63	31	16	—	(D)	24
workers..	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 workers or more	54	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 150 days	207	322	167	48	123	33	70
farms..	597	623	350	65	284	111	124
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	110	177	86	35	68	11	53
farms..	110	177	86	35	68	(D)	53
workers..							
2 workers	28	67	49	10	21	4	3
farms..	56	134	98	20	42	8	6
workers..	43	62	22	3	11	13	5
3 or 4 workers	137	215	70	10	37	43	16
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	5	15	6	—	23	3	9
farms..	27	(D)	40	—	137	18	49
workers..	21	1	4	—	—	2	—
10 workers or more	267	(D)	56	—	—	(D)	—
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	62	51	7	38	28	6	20
farms..	124	92	16	66	46	10	42
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	1 140	809	195	375	377	60	401
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	112	201	98	29	51	16	34
farms..	273	314	177	40	101	35	42
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	162	852	301	67	109	19	234
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	95	121	69	19	72	17	36
farms..	212	236	102	43	115	38	50
150 days or more..							
less than 150 days..	324	309	173	25	183	76	82
\$1,000 payroll..	2 831	2 839	1 323	381	1 213	473	249

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All farms	Fergus	Flathead	Gallatin	Garfield	Glacier	Golden Valley	Granite
Hired farm labor							
farms..	223	221	276	103	173	53	63
workers..	515	714	1 026	369	437	147	205
\$1,000 payroll..	2 348	2 695	4 503	1 194	1 905	941	979
Farms with—							
1 worker	110	130	79	37	68	15	5
farms..	110	130	79	37	68	15	(D)
workers..							
2 workers	53	30	87	22	48	18	33
farms..	106	60	174	44	96	36	66
workers..							
3 or 4 workers	41	36	69	21	36	17	13
farms..	144	118	236	76	118	57	43
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	14	16	20	17	16	1	11
farms..	88	115	122	98	96	(D)	72
workers..	5	9	21	6	5	2	1
10 workers or more	67	291	415	114	59	(D)	(D)
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	103	50	156	47	89	34	46
farms..	186	157	303	90	144	81	83
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	65	30	96	33	58	10	24
farms..	65	30	96	33	58	(D)	24
workers..							
2 workers	25	11	27	6	21	14	13
farms..	50	22	(D)	(D)	42	28	26
workers..	8	4	20	6	6	8	7
(D)	30	(D)	66	19	19	27	(D)
3 or 4 workers	3	3	11	1	4	1	2
farms..	(D)	21	63	(D)	25	(D)	(D)
workers..	2	2	2	1	—	1	—
(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Less than 150 days	184	208	239	87	154	33	55
farms..	329	557	723	279	293	66	122
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	115	124	110	41	103	21	28
farms..	115	124	110	41	103	21	28
workers..							
2 workers	39	28	69	8	23	4	13
farms..	78	56	138	16	46	(D)	(D)
workers..	23	35	37	17	12	7	9
(D)	73	106	114	58	(D)	23	27
3 or 4 workers	4	16	6	16	14	—	4
farms..	25	104	37	87	81	—	26
workers..	3	5	17	5	2	1	1
(D)	38	167	324	77	(D)	(D)	(D)
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	39	13	37	16	19	20	8
farms..	69	15	75	25	25	45	17
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	562	259	786	304	283	331	106
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	120	171	120	56	84	19	17
farms..	173	291	299	167	167	32	31
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	446	362	651	196	292	135	191
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	64	37	119	31	70	14	38
farms..	117	142	228	65	119	36	66
150 days or more..							
less than 150 days..	156	266	424	112	126	34	91
\$1,000 payroll..	1 340	2 075	3 066	694	1 329	475	681

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All farms	Hill	Jefferson	Judith Basin	Lake	Lewis and Clark	Liberty	Lincoln
Hired farm labor							
farms..	260	52	117	360	128	144	75
workers..	718	141	374	1 458	498	502	295
\$1,000 payroll..	2 316	959	1 618	3 368	1 600	2 490	203
Farms with—							
1 worker	farms..	88	19	23	120	54	44
	workers..	88	(D)	23	120	54	44
2 workers	farms..	95	16	48	71	23	42
	workers..	190	32	96	142	46	84
3 or 4 workers	farms..	31	11	27	101	25	28
	workers..	101	42	90	351	88	93
5 to 9 workers	farms..	41	5	15	30	15	21
	workers..	262	28	89	168	95	120
10 workers or more	farms..	5	1	4	38	11	9
	workers..	77	(D)	76	677	215	161
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	farms..	100	18	77	126	58	78
	workers..	176	37	124	235	186	167
Farms with—							
1 worker	farms..	57	11	55	73	24	28
	workers..	57	11	55	73	24	28
2 workers	farms..	29	1	7	38	19	31
	workers..	58	(D)	(D)	76	38	62
3 or 4 workers	farms..	9	4	13	7	7	16
	workers..	31	13	41	(D)	24	53
5 to 9 workers	farms..	5	2	2	7	5	2
	workers..	30	(D)	(D)	48	31	(D)
10 workers or more	farms..	—	—	—	1	3	1
	workers..	—	—	—	(D)	69	(D)
Less than 150 days	farms..	216	51	99	332	114	119
	workers..	542	104	250	1 223	312	335
Farms with—							
1 worker	farms..	87	27	52	148	58	62
	workers..	87	27	52	148	58	62
2 workers	farms..	68	14	20	48	28	15
	workers..	136	28	40	96	56	30
3 or 4 workers	farms..	35	7	12	79	12	28
	workers..	116	25	39	269	36	88
5 to 9 workers	farms..	22	2	12	23	8	8
	workers..	139	(D)	63	121	49	49
10 workers or more	farms..	4	1	3	34	8	6
	workers..	64	(D)	56	589	113	106
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	farms..	44	1	18	28	14	25
	workers..	63	(D)	43	48	37	53
\$1,000 payroll..		387	(D)	429	852	544	491
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	farms..	160	34	40	234	70	66
	workers..	379	57	82	786	148	114
\$1,000 payroll..		788	175	161	396	88	354
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	farms..	56	17	59	98	44	53
	150 days or more..	113	(D)	81	187	149	114
	less than 150 days..	163	(D)	168	437	164	221
\$1,000 payroll..		1 140	(D)	1 028	2 120	968	1 645

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All farms	McCone	Madison	Meagher	Mineral	Missoula	Musselshell	Park
Hired farm labor							
farms..	88	202	57	18	219	78	132
workers..	235	874	287	48	610	247	349
\$1,000 payroll..	1 367	3 017	2 103	46	958	1 174	1 469
Farms with—							
1 worker							
farms..	21	44	11	2	34	35	31
workers..	21	44	11	(D)	34	35	31
2 workers							
farms..	34	58	10	10	132	16	46
workers..	68	116	20	20	264	32	92
3 or 4 workers							
farms..	19	52	15	4	25	14	51
workers..	62	175	56	15	89	51	178
5 to 9 workers							
farms..	14	33	14	2	23	8	2
workers..	84	216	87	(D)	143	41	(D)
10 workers or more							
farms..	—	15	7	—	5	5	2
workers..	—	323	113	—	80	88	(D)
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more							
farms..	69	109	47	3	135	49	104
workers..	97	245	128	5	166	95	170
Farms with—							
1 worker							
farms..	53	70	24	1	121	35	75
workers..	53	70	24	(D)	121	35	75
2 workers							
farms..	6	10	5	2	7	6	16
workers..	12	20	(D)	(D)	(D)	12	32
3 or 4 workers							
farms..	10	18	12	—	2	4	10
workers..	32	58	37	—	(D)	12	31
5 to 9 workers							
farms..	—	7	4	—	5	2	(D)
workers..	—	37	28	—	25	(D)	2
10 workers or more							
farms..	—	4	2	—	—	2	1
workers..	—	60	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Less than 150 days							
farms..	63	181	49	17	214	54	108
workers..	138	629	159	43	444	152	179
Farms with—							
1 worker							
farms..	35	71	18	2	126	29	50
workers..	(D)	71	18	(D)	126	29	50
2 workers							
farms..	2	35	6	9	47	4	52
workers..	(D)	70	(D)	(D)	94	8	104
3 or 4 workers							
farms..	17	43	16	6	26	13	4
workers..	54	139	52	23	94	47	(D)
5 to 9 workers							
farms..	9	20	7	—	10	5	2
workers..	45	124	47	—	55	25	(D)
10 workers or more							
farms..	—	12	2	—	5	3	—
workers..	—	225	(D)	—	75	43	—
Reported only workers working 150 days or more							
farms..	25	21	8	1	5	24	24
workers..	39	38	20	(D)	(D)	32	46
\$1,000 payroll..	713	250	390	(D)	10	367	680
Reported only workers working less than 150 days							
farms..	19	93	10	15	84	29	28
workers..	44	227	24	35	181	77	51
\$1,000 payroll..	121	185	201	18	49	96	60
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days							
farms..	44	88	39	2	130	25	80
150 days or more..	58	207	108	(D)	(D)	63	124
less than 150 days..	94	402	135	(D)	263	75	128
\$1,000 payroll..	532	2 582	1 512	(D)	899	711	729

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All farms	Petroleum	Phillips	Pontera	Powder River	Powell	Prairie	Ravalli
Hired farm labor	32	138	212	130	76	69	341
farms..	87	393	587	296	267	195	1 181
workers..	434	2 224	2 961	1 560	2 408	990	1 880
\$1,000 payroll..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	8	40	63	57	25	21	122
farms..	(D)	(D)	(D)	57	25	(D)	122
workers..	10	34	64	35	10	15	86
2 workers	20	68	128	70	20	30	172
farms..	10	52	61	31	20	25	71
workers..	32	195	230	115	66	83	254
3 or 4 workers							
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	3	10	22	4	17	7	50
farms..	15	58	129	22	112	45	297
workers..	1	2	2	3	4	1	12
10 workers or more	(D)	(D)	(D)	32	44	(D)	336
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	farms..	13	106	66	44	39	79
workers..	22	173	154	107	113	85	144
Farms with—							
1 worker	farms..	6	63	76	37	23	63
workers..	(D)	63	76	37	23	22	63
2 workers	farms..	6	11	20	22	6	4
workers..	12	22	40	44	(D)	6	(D)
3 or 4 workers	farms..	1	15	8	5	9	10
workers..	(D)	53	(D)	(D)	32	33	24
5 to 9 workers	farms..	—	6	2	2	5	4
workers..	—	35	(D)	(D)	33	24	21
10 workers or more	farms..	—	—	—	—	1	—
workers..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Less than 150 days	farms..	27	105	183	114	63	50
workers..	65	220	433	189	154	110	1 037
Farms with—							
1 worker	farms..	12	56	67	74	29	21
workers..	12	56	67	74	29	21	156
2 workers	farms..	5	10	50	25	4	68
workers..	10	(D)	100	50	8	22	136
3 or 4 workers	farms..	7	37	59	11	20	14
workers..	21	125	206	34	64	43	201
5 to 9 workers	farms..	2	1	5	3	10	4
workers..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	53	24	45
10 workers or more	farms..	1	1	2	1	—	—
workers..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	294
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	farms..	5	33	29	16	13	19
workers..	9	74	35	33	41	41	20
\$1,000 payroll..	108	693	461	410	1 147	435	351
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	farms..	19	43	106	64	32	30
workers..	53	96	237	89	61	63	262
\$1,000 payroll..	203	158	650	127	305	94	743
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	farms..	8	62	77	50	31	20
150 days or more..	13	99	119	74	72	44	75
less than 150 days..	12	124	196	100	93	47	124
\$1,000 payroll..	123	1 373	1 850	1 024	956	462	294
							1 134

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All farms	Richland	Roosevelt	Rosebud	Sanders	Sheridan	Silver Bow	Stillwater
Hired farm labor	175	147	179	144	175	21	132
farms..	548	265	525	468	310	80	342
workers..	2 986	1 362	2 753	1 702	1 196	281	1 288
\$1,000 payroll..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	60	90	61	49	82	6	42
farms..	60	90	61	(D)	(D)	(D)	42
workers..							
2 workers	41	31	60	57	69	4	48
farms..	82	62	120	114	138	8	96
workers..							
3 or 4 workers	43	15	34	24	22	3	28
farms..	148	49	127	73	74	11	87
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	23	11	17	13	1	7	10
farms..	144	64	110	72	(D)	43	62
workers..	8	—	7	1	1	1	4
10 workers or more	114	—	107	(D)	(D)	(D)	55
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	103	72	105	51	52	10	80
farms..	220	88	204	109	77	24	145
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	54	59	70	45	32	4	52
farms..	54	59	70	45	32	(D)	52
workers..							
2 workers	17	11	11	3	17	3	13
farms..	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	34	6	26
workers..	22	2	19	2	2	2	12
3 or 4 workers	75	(D)	63	(D)	(D)	(D)	41
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	9	—	4	—	1	1	2
farms..	47	—	26	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
workers..	1	—	1	1	—	—	1
10 workers or more	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Less than 150 days	136	104	156	133	149	17	102
farms..	328	177	321	359	233	56	197
workers..							
Farms with—							
1 worker	75	68	103	73	89	7	58
farms..	75	68	103	73	89	7	58
workers..							
2 workers	20	18	15	26	41	—	19
farms..	40	36	30	(D)	82	—	38
workers..	23	10	27	23	18	4	19
3 or 4 workers	78	33	93	71	(D)	16	58
farms..							
workers..							
5 to 9 workers	13	8	8	10	1	6	4
farms..	70	40	51	55	(D)	33	(D)
workers..	5	—	3	1	—	—	2
10 workers or more	65	—	44	(D)	—	—	(D)
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	39	43	23	11	26	4	30
farms..	90	51	49	11	44	6	40
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	750	446	686	(D)	238	21	359
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	72	75	74	93	123	11	52
farms..	125	107	146	204	185	40	115
workers..							
\$1,000 payroll..	319	547	262	129	640	40	146
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	64	29	82	40	26	6	50
farms..	130	37	155	98	33	18	105
workers..	203	70	175	155	48	16	82
\$1,000 payroll..	1 917	369	1 804	(D)	317	220	784

Table 5. Hired Farm Labor—Workers and Payroll: 1997—Con.

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms		Sweet Grass	Teton	Toole	Treasure	Valley	Wheatland	Wibaux	Yellowstone
Hired farm labor	farms..	110	261	135	32	161	53	40	271
workers..		365	710	301	151	396	314	91	970
\$1,000 payroll..		1 784	3 686	1 674	1 269	1 833	1 709	313	4 682
Farms with—									
1 worker	farms..	19	122	60	14	43	10	17	64
workers..		19	122	(D)	14	43	10	17	64
2 workers	farms..	50	67	45	3	77	14	13	71
workers..		100	134	90	6	154	28	26	142
3 or 4 workers	farms..	23	44	17	5	29	10	7	70
workers..		83	156	60	16	102	38	26	243
5 to 9 workers	farms..	15	18	12	5	9	13	2	51
workers..		86	118	80	32	58	94	(D)	313
10 workers or more	farms..	3	10	1	5	3	6	1	15
workers..		77	180	(D)	83	39	144	(D)	208
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more	farms..	91	105	68	19	92	45	26	160
workers..		174	217	118	76	168	136	47	292
Farms with—									
1 worker	farms..	55	67	37	5	51	19	15	109
workers..		55	67	37	(D)	51	19	15	109
2 workers	farms..	23	17	18	5	26	3	4	20
workers..		46	34	(D)	10	52	(D)	(D)	(D)
3 or 4 workers	farms..	8	18	12	3	10	16	6	18
workers..		29	60	38	11	34	52	19	60
5 to 9 workers	farms..	4	1	1	4	5	5	1	12
workers..		(D)	(D)	(D)	26	31	33	(D)	73
10 workers or more	farms..	1	2	—	2	—	2	(D)	—
workers..		(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
Less than 150 days	farms..	84	217	113	24	133	45	31	239
workers..		191	493	183	75	228	178	44	678
Farms with—									
1 worker	farms..	49	116	78	14	81	22	24	71
workers..		49	116	78	14	81	22	24	71
2 workers	farms..	14	38	20	2	37	4	4	62
workers..		28	76	40	(D)	74	8	8	124
3 or 4 workers	farms..	16	48	10	3	11	11	2	71
workers..		57	154	30	(D)	37	35	(D)	240
5 to 9 workers	farms..	3	9	5	3	2	3	1	29
workers..		(D)	56	35	21	(D)	18	(D)	164
10 workers or more	farms..	2	6	—	2	2	5	—	6
workers..		(D)	91	—	(D)	(D)	95	—	79
Reported only workers working 150 days or more	farms..	26	44	22	8	28	8	9	32
workers..		53	100	39	22	55	20	13	46
\$1,000 payroll..		633	1 443	383	226	446	182	68	585
Reported only workers working less than 150 days	farms..	19	156	67	13	69	8	14	111
workers..		35	282	83	29	113	10	17	245
\$1,000 payroll..		39	515	149	105	158	34	26	504
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days	farms..	65	61	46	11	64	37	17	128
150 days or more..		121	117	79	54	113	116	34	246
less than 150 days..		156	211	100	46	115	168	27	433
\$1,000 payroll..		1 111	1 728	1 143	938	1 229	1 494	219	3 593